

## LIVE THE ADVENTURE

Have you ever watched firefighters fight a fire? Have you ever seen fire trucks racing to an emergency scene? Have you ever wondered what it's like to actually be a part of the excitement?

By joining the Fort Lauderdale Fire-Rescue Explorer Post 713 you will get valuable, hands-on experience with real firefighters.



***You can be a part of the action!***

## BE AN EXPLORER

Explorers are a group of young men and women who have an interest in the fire-rescue profession. Explorers experience similar training, duties and actual situations that Fort Lauderdale firefighters handle on a daily basis.



***City of Fort Lauderdale Fire-Rescue  
Explorer Post 713***

## LEARN VALUABLE SKILLS

As an Explorer, you will meet weekly at Fort Lauderdale Fire Station #13, located at 2871 E. Sunrise Boulevard, or the Broward Fire Academy, located at 2600 S.W. 71 Terrace (access from Nova Drive). Meetings are conducted in a business-like manner with agenda items including new/old business, planning community projects and instruction/training sessions. Fire department personnel offer Explorers training in:

- ❖ Fire suppression
- ❖ Equipment use and apparatus safety
- ❖ Emergency scene safety
- ❖ First Aid (First Responder)
- ❖ CPR certification

Fire prevention, public education and safety demonstrations are also a valuable part of the community service offered by members of Explorer Post 713.

Explorers are able to participate in the Ride Along Program where they put their skills to work on emergency calls by assisting firefighters as part of the team. Saving life and property and helping our community to be a better place to live is always priority.



***Teamwork is an essential part of the fire service.***



***Explorers meet weekly where they gain hands-on firefighting experience.***

## JOIN EXPLORER POST 713

To experience the excitement and challenge of being an Explorer, you must meet the following requirements:

- ❖ Be 14 to 20 years old
- ❖ Complete 8th grade
- ❖ Maintain a 2.0 GPA with no failing classes
- ❖ Be in good physical health and of good moral character
- ❖ Complete and return the Explorer application
- ❖ Pass an oral interview
- ❖ Submit to a background investigation
- ❖ Have parental or guardian consent

The Explorer program is a cooperative effort with Learning for Life. Explorer posts are located in many cities throughout the U.S.

Experience the thrill and excitement of being an Explorer. For an opportunity to become a proud member of Explorer Post 713, please call (954) 828-3673.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT EXPLORER POST 713  
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# EXPLORERS AT WORK



***Explorers practice patient care. As First Responders, the skills they learn as Explorers may save a life.***

***Learn real firefighting skills as an Explorer.***



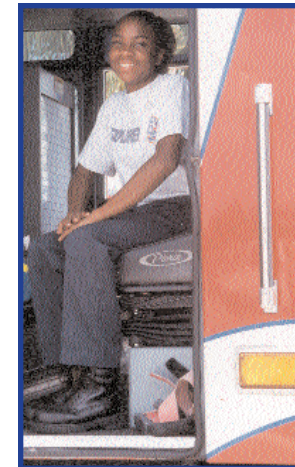
***Senior Explorers share their knowledge and skills with their fellow Explorers.***

***Physical training is a key factor in becoming a firefighter.***



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